

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens or distinguished themselves through significant personal achievement; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Norman W. Kettner, D.C., DACBR, FICC, who has been honored with an Outstanding Missouri Chiropractic Physician Award; and

Whereas, Dr. Kettner is a chiropractic physician and radiologist; chairman of the Department of Radiology at Logan College of Chiropractic; and has served Logan College and the Missouri chiropractic profession for twenty-eight years; and

Whereas, Dr. Kettner is a member of the American Chiropractic Association, Council of Diagnostic Imaging, American Chiropractic College of Radiology, Missouri State Chiropractors Association, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Organization for Human Brain Mapping, and International Association for the Study of Pain; and

Whereas, the author of over seventy papers and nine textbook chapters, Dr. Kettner has developed a research collaboration with the Athinoula A. Martinos Center for Biomedical Imaging at Massachusetts General Hospital, the main teaching hospital of Harvard Medical School, research that includes the use of MRIs to explore the neural mechanism underlying acupuncture techniques that has resulted in twenty poster sessions and nine platform presentations at prestigious conferences and several papers in "Human Brain Mapping, Pain, and Neuroimage"; and

Whereas, Dr. Kettner is the Consortium Director at the Geriatric Education Center, funded by a HRSA grant and co-sponsored with Saint Louis University, which has the goal of providing multi-disciplinary clinical training in geriatric health care, and each year of the grant he is responsible for directing the activities of the consortium site, which include organizing a twelve-hour symposium to target the diagnosis and treatment of geriatric health issues; and

Whereas, Dr. Kettner is being recognized for his incalculable contribution to Missouri chiropractic physicians and patients and his dedication to clinical education; and

Whereas, Dr. Kettner had a material impact on passing legislation that revised the Missouri Chiropractic Physicians Practice Act (2007); legislation that provided for the inclusion of chiropractic patients in Missouri's health care plans (2004); and legislation that led to the inclusion of a chiropractic physician on the Board of the Missouri Department of Health (2002):

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere congratulations to Dr. Kettner on the illustrious occasion of honored with an Outstanding Missouri Chiropractic Physician Award; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Norman W. Kettner, D.C., DACBR, FICC.

Offered by _____
Representative Charles R. Portwood
District No. 92

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker